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# Israeli Violations' Activities in the occupied State of Palestine 14 August 2022

The daily report highlights the violations behind Israeli home demolitions and demolition threats in the occupied Palestinian territory, the confiscation and razing of lands, the uprooting and destruction of fruit trees, the expansion of settlements and erection of outposts, the brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army, the Israeli settlers violence against Palestinian civilians and properties, the erection of checkpoints, the construction of the Israeli segregation wall and the issuance of military orders for the various Israeli purposes.

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## Violations of the Israeli Occupation Army

- Israeli navy ships attacked Palestinian fishing boats near the shores of the northern part of the besieged Gaza Strip. The navy ships chased the fishing boats near Jabalia and Beit Lahia, the al-Waha and as-Sudaniyya areas in northern Gaza. The navy fired many live rounds and gas bombs at the boats forcing them to leave without being able to fish to provide for their families. (IMEMC 14 August 2022)
- A Palestinian child from Beit Ummar town, north of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, lost his eye after Israeli soldiers shot him with a rubber-coated steel bullet. The sources said the child, Ziad Mohammad Abu Ayyash, 15, was shot with a rubber-coated steel bullet directly in the right eye, causing extensive damage. The surgeons tried to save his eye, but the damage to the retina and optic nerves was so severe, forcing them to remove it. The child was shot by a soldier in the fortified military tower at the main entrance of the refugee camp when dozens of Palestinians marched against the seriously escalating Israeli violations, including the recent offensive on Gaza. (IMEMC 14 August 2022)

#### Israeli Settler Violence

- Scores of Israeli settlers escorted by police broke into the Al-Aqsa Mosque compound in occupied Jerusalem in groups and performed rituals in some of its courtyards. The Israeli settlers entered the compound through the Moroccan Gate in groups and performed rituals and Talmudic prayers there under the protection of Israeli police officers. (WAFA 14 August 2022)
- Jewish settlers protected by Israeli occupation soldiers stormed the Masoudiya area north of the West Bank city of Nablus. More than 20 Jewish settlers escorted by a tourist guide raided the Masoudiya area near the towns of Burqa and Sebastia. Jewish settlers tour the area of Masoudiya on a weekly basis in an attempt to take control of it, claiming that it is part of the so-called Biblical National Park. The Masoudiya area, which has parts of the Hejaz railway station and tracks that dates back to the Ottoman era,

is frequented by Palestinian citizens as a recreation area. (PALINFO 14 August 2022)

#### Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- The Israeli occupation authorities forced a Palestinian to demolish his home in the Old City of the occupied capital, Jerusalem, in the West Bank. The Palestinian, Othman Qaljawi, was forced to demolish his home in Bab Hutta in the Old City to avoid paying excessive fines and fees, especially after he was informed that he would be forced to pay 50.000 Shekels if the City Council demolished the home using its workers and equipment. The home was demolished for allegedly being built without a permit from the city; the Palestinian tried to save his home and filed appeals to get a license for one room he added to the property to accommodate his family. The City Council denied the appeals and decided to demolish the property where Othman, his wife, and their five children lived. In related news, the soldiers abducted Yazan Razem from his work in Bab al-Amoud in Jerusalem and moved him to an interrogation facility. (IMEMC 14 August 2022)
- Israeli occupation authorities ordered today a halt on the construction of 4
  homes in the village of Budrus in the occupied West Bank province of
  Ramallah, according to local sources. The Israeli army handed notifications
  to local Palestinian residents asking them to stop the construction of four
  homes in the village, under the pretext of lacking an Israeli construction
  permit. (WAFA 14 August 2022)
- The Israeli occupation forces seized a solar energy unit in Masafer Yatta, south of Hebron. The occupation forces seized a solar energy unit in Shaab al-Butm area in Masafer Yatta, owned by Khaled al-Najjar, and used to generate electric power. (WAFA 14 August 2022)

## Israeli Military Orders

 The Israeli occupation forces notified of the seizure of 720-square-meter plot of land belonging to citizens of the village of Burqa, west of Nablus. (WAFA 14 August 2022)

#### Israeli Closures

• Israeli forces closed evening the western entrance to the village of Husan, west of Bethlehem, in the southern occupied West Bank. Israeli forces closed the metal gate set up at the western entrance of the village of Husan and prevented residents from entering or leaving. Forces also set up a flying checkpoint in Aqabat Hasna area, which leads to several communities west of Bethlehem. Forces stopped Palestinian registered vehicles, searching them and checking passengers' identity cards. (wafa 14 August 2022)

